

- Now -  
- 805 - Rose ave -

Missoula May 28.

Dear Family,

We rec'd

Marian's Invitation & Carrie  
Do you realize that you  
have only one more to  
go through High School after  
her - it doesn't seem  
possible & if you are not  
careful you soon won't  
have any body but your  
Billy Boy with you - but  
I don't think any of them  
will go far away - I am  
glad Jim & Can be in  
Shawwood next year - that  
certainly will be nice  
for you - we have a

~~Mount~~ Mountain  
Just 2 Blocks East of  
our Flat this side of it  
are just covered with  
flowers - all colors of the  
Rainbow are there. Dave  
started out a while ago  
& is trying to find  
the End of it & bring  
back the Pot of Gold - but  
I imagine he would have  
to go quite a ways so  
he will only bring back  
flowers this time. I rec'd  
a letter from Betty the  
other day & was glad  
to hear she can get out  
in the Garden some -  
I am afraid she will  
never get ~~of~~ over that knee  
trouble she has.



She wrote<sup>3</sup> like aunt Sarah  
 had been sick I had not  
 heard about it. I am afraid  
 that Poor Old Lady is not  
 going to stay with us  
 very long. & if she dies  
 Carry I want you to have  
 her put on our Lot. but  
 a Vacant space beside I <sup>leave</sup> I  
 Dora & I were living in  
 a flat with Marjory's Father in  
 Law but he was so cranky  
 & always talking about his  
 Wife so mean that we had  
 to move - but we are just  
 a few doors away from  
 him & have a Dandy little  
 2 room flat. Dora Cooked  
 Dinner today the first  
 time since we left our  
 Cabin in the hills &

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hr done fine - we are  
on the 3<sup>d</sup> floor & can  
see all our town - we  
have everything furnished  
but our bedding & only pay  
\$15<sup>00</sup> per month. from where  
I am writing you can  
see beside the Mountain  
Cherry & apple Blossoms as  
far as you want to look -  
the snow in the Hills  
is just melting & all  
the Rivers and Banks full  
and have snow. the other day  
there was a Carpenter layed  
off from a large building  
I am working on to take  
his wife to the Hospital  
& the poor fellow was  
drowned the same day  
& hasn't been found yet



that certainly was hard  
for his wife to Bear - the  
waters are so swift that  
he may never be found -  
he lives on the River Bank  
& put on a pair of Hip  
Booth & was trying to  
Catch Drift Logs - he fell  
& the swift Current took him  
in deep water & he is probably  
covered with sand by now.  
I know you ought not  
hurry to answer our letters  
but all the same, we would  
very cheerfully read them, if you  
would drop us a few lines -  
But wishes & love to all -

Tom & Dave.